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Applicant: Koji HANAOKA et al. Conf.: 2726

Appl. No.: 09/284,735 Group: 1771

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For: DETERGENT-IMPREGNATED ARTICLE

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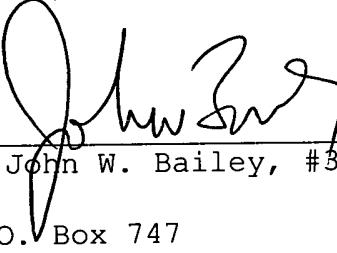
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REPLY UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

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Sir:

In reply to the Examiner's Office Action dated September 30, 2002, the following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please add the following claims:

--29. (New) The detergent-impregnated article according to claim 21, wherein said solid abrasive particles consist of at least one of:

(A) at least one polymer obtained by polymerizing a monomer or *D2* monomer mixture containing at least one ethylenically unsaturated monomer selected from the group consisting of an alkyl acrylate or methacrylate having 1 to 8 carbon atoms in the alkyl moiety